GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Public Services – Municipal Administration & Urban Development Department- Guntur Municipal Corporation – Certain irregularities in tender process under APUSP - Departmental proceedings initiated against Sri K.J.Upendra Singh, the then Municipal Engineer and another Guntur Municipal Corporation - Enquiry Officer appointed – Enquiry report submitted – 'CENSURE' awarded – Orders- Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATIUON & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (E1) DEPARTMENT.

G.O.Rt.No.998

Dated:14 .07.2008
Read the following

- 1. G.O.Rt.No.1505, MA & UD (E1)Dept, dt.29.12.2004
- 2. G.O.Rt.No.352, MA & UD (E1) Dept., dt.15.03.2007
- 3. From the Enquiry officer Lr.No.11318/2004, dt.25.02.2007.
- 4. Govt. Memo No.8725/E1/2004, dt.02.04.2008
- 5. Explanation submitted by Sri K.J.Upendra Singh, the then M.E., Guntur Municipal Corporation, dt.04.05.2008

ORDER:

- 1. The General Administration (V&E) Department reported that certain irregularities were committed in tenders for works under APUSP in Guntur Municipal Corporation by Sri K.J.Upendra Singh, the then Municipal Engineer, and another of Guntur Municipal Corporation.
- 2. In the reference 1^{st} read above, Government have framed the charges against Sri K.J.Upendra Singh, the then Municipal Engineer, Guntur Municipal Corporation. Further in the reference 2^{nd} read above, called for his explanation / written statement of defense of charged officer.
- 3. Government in the reference 3rd read above, have appointed Sri G.Yohan, Superintending Engineer (PH), Vijayawada Municipal Corporation, as Enquiry Officer to enquire into the charges framed against Sri K.J.Upendra Singh, the then Municipal Engineer and another Guntur Municipal Corporation,
- 4. In the reference 4th read above, the Inquiry Authority has submitted his enquiry report stating that the charges framed against Sri K.Upendra Singh, the then Municipal Engineer are of petty technical in nature and it has not made any Impact on the financial aspect.
- 5. In the reference 4th read above, Government after examining the Enquiry report, as per Rule-21 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991, a Show Cause Notice was issued to the said officer with a copy of Enquiry Officer report to submit his explanation. In the reference 5th read above, Sri K.J.Upendra Singh, the then Municipal Engineer has submitted his explanation.
- 6. Government after careful examination of enquiry report and has decided to award punishment of 'CENSURE' against Sri K.J.Upendra Singh, the then M.E., Guntur Municipal Corporation. Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose the punishment of 'CENSURE' 'against Sri K.J.Upendra Singh, the then Municipal Engineer Guntur Municipal Corporation,
- 6. The Engineer-in-Chief (PH), Hyderabad shall take necessary further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S.P.SINGH PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Engineer-in-Chief (PH), Hyderabad,

Copy to

Sri K.J. Upendra Singh, the then M.E., Guntur Municipal Corporation,

(through the ENC (PH), Hyderabad,)

The General Administration (V&E) Department

(with reference to VR No.38 (188/V&E/E1/2004)

Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commissioner

Municipal Administration & Urban Development(C) Department, SF/SC

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//